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**Children Cry for Fletcher's**

# CASTORIA

The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher* and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

**What is CASTORIA**

Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. For more than thirty years it has been in constant use for the relief of Constipation, Flatulency, Wind Colic and Diarrhoea; allaying Feverishness arising therefrom, and by regulating the Stomach and Bowels, aids the assimilation of Food; giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

**GENUINE CASTORIA ALWAYS**  
Bears the Signature of  
*Chas. H. Fletcher*  
**In Use For Over 30 Years**  
The Kind You Have Always Bought  
THE CENTAUR COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY.

**There is a genuine satisfaction—**  
that comes from having your money deposited in this Association—  
a feeling of complete security—of assured profit—and of confidence in the fairness of our rules.  
We know that you will be pleased with our service—and we invite your account.  
In addition to prompt and careful attention we offer you  
**"100% Safety—5% Dividends"**  
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Building and Loan Ass'n  
RESOURCES 5 MILLIONS  
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Let us have your Cream!  
We are paying the best prices and will give a fair and impartial test with prompt service.

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The Biggest Loss on Farms Today is Perishable Posts and Poor Fence  
Profits Are Made by Managing a Farm on a Business Basis

**Use American Steel Fence Posts**  
[Made by American Steel & Wire Company]  
**THEY LAST A LIFE TIME**  
Thousands in use in the past 15 years, which have not rotted, rusted or burned because they are heavy zinc coated inside and outside.

**American Steel Posts—**  
Can Be Driven  
Eliminates Fence Repairs  
Every Post a Lightning Rod  
Protects Stock from Lightning  
No Staples Required  
Fence Rows Can Be Burned, Destroying Weeds and Vermin  
Land with Steel Posts is More Valuable.

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See us at once for further information or ask the man who has used American Steel Fence Post.  
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Cedarville, Ohio

The Cedarville Herald  
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LARRY BULL - Editor  
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RIDAY, MARCH 8, 1918

**CHURCH SERVICE.**  
**UNITED PRESBYTERIAN**  
James S. E. McMichael, Pastor  
Sabbath School 1st at 9:30.  
Preparatory service Saturday afternoon at 1:30. Rev. E. G. McKibben of Clinton will preach.  
Prayering by the pastor at 10:30 followed by the sacrament of the Lord's Supper.  
Y. P. C. U. at 8 o'clock. Leader—Miss Ida Sloan.  
Union service at 7 o'clock in the R. P. church.  
Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:30 at the home of J. H. Andrew.  
R. P. Church.  
Main Street.  
Teachers' meeting Saturday at 7 p. m.  
Sabbath School, Sabbath at 9:30 a. m.  
Prayering at 10:30 a. m. by Robt. Hutchinson.  
Preaching by Dr. J. M. Coleman, Sabbath at 7 p. m.  
C. E. Prayer meeting, Sabbath at 6 p. m.  
Mid-week prayer meeting, Wednesday at 7 p. m.

**NOTICE**  
The Board of Education of Ross Tp. will receive sealed bids for the position of janitor for their Centralized school to be opened at their next regular meeting to be held at the school house Thursday, March 28th, at one p. m. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.  
**LORAN A. ROGERS, Clerk.**  
Mr. J. O. Grindle celebrated his 68th birthday Thursday and in recognition of this event was presented \$10 by the college students. Mr. Grindle has been the college janitor for several years.

**EGGS Bring us your surplus. Will pay top prices for them.**  
**R. Bird & Sons Co.**  
Mr. M. P. Ewbank and family, of Illinois, who purchased the D. S. Ervin property are now located in their new home.  
A meeting of farmers will be held in the Mayor's office Saturday, March 16, at 1:30 to discuss the seed corn situation. There will be a speaker from the O. S. U. and others as well.  
**A. H. Creswell.**

Dr. J. W. Dixon, wife and son, Walter, are spending a few days with relatives in Chillicothe. They will return here before they leave for their new home in Tulsa, Okla.  
Mr. Homer Jobs, who was recently moved from his home to the McMichael hospital, underwent an examination this week, an incision being made for investigation. It was discovered he was suffering from cancer of the stomach and that an operation was useless.

**COFFEE a splendid one in bulk per lb. 15c.**  
**R. Bird & Sons Co.**

**First Showing Spring Stetsons**  
**The Criterion**  
A Store for Dad and the Boys  
XENIA, OHIO.

**Harry Kennon**  
**AUCTIONEER**  
**SPECIAL TERMS**  
Satisfaction Guaranteed or no Pay  
Parties wanting two auctioneers I am in position to supply the extra man with unlimited experience.  
References Furnished  
**PHONE 2-120**  
Cedarville, - - Ohio  
**FRANK L. JOHNSON,**  
Attorney and Counselor-at-Law  
XENIA, OHIO.  
Office over Galloway & Cherry.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL**  
Lesson 10.—First Quarter, March 10, 1918.  
**THE INTERNATIONAL SERIES**  
Lesson Text, Mark 5:21-43—Memory Verse, John 10:10—Golden Text, Matt. 8:17—Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

The two healings of this lesson were, like all others, samples of the kingdom when God shall have set his King upon his holy hill of Zion; when the King of Israel, Jehovah, shall be in the midst of her, and she shall not see evil any more; when a King shall reign in righteousness, and the work of righteousness forever (Ps. 2:8; Zeph. 3:15; Isa. 32:1, 17). When he brought Israel out of Egypt he said, "I am the Lord (Jehovah) that healeth thee;" "I will take sickness away from the midst of thee" (Ex. 15:26; 23:25). All those forty years from Egypt to Canaan their raiment waxed not old upon them, neither did their feet swell because of their journeyings and the heat of the desert (Deut. 8:2-4). Notwithstanding all their evil bondage in Egypt, he brought them forth with silver and gold, and there was not one feeble person among their tribes (Ps. 105:37). This is the same Lord Jesus of whom our lesson tells us, who in the days of his humiliation, as God manifest in the flesh, was ever talking of his kingdom, and showing samples of its health and peace and prosperity. The healed ones of our lesson were a little girl, twelve years old, and a woman who had been for twelve years a sufferer. These two, twelve interest me very much, as do the many twelves of Scripture, and some day in the glory of his kingdom we shall understand. Meanwhile I like to remember that when, as the Son of Mary, he was twelve years old, he said, "I must be about my Father's business" (Luke 2:42, 49), so we should ever be about his business, here in his stead, seeking first and always, the coming of his kingdom. The visit to the home of Jairus to heal his little girl was delayed by the woman who had been bleeding away for twelve years, so we will first consider her healing. She had been a great sufferer, had spent all that she had, and was nothing bettered, but rather grew worse (vs. 20). Luke says that she had spent all her living upon physicians, but had been no better. Truly her case seemed hopeless. Then she heard of Jesus. What a blessed day that was for her; has anyone heard of Jesus through you? How can they believe unless they hear (Rom. 10:14)? As she heard of his wonderful works, she believed in him, and said, "If I may touch but his clothes, I shall be whole" (vs. 28). So with eager expectancy, in all her weakness, she somehow pressed her way through the crowd, coming nearer and nearer to him till at last she stood behind him and touched the hem of his garment, and instantly she was healed. What no physician could do, and no money could purchase, came to her freely in a moment, from him who is ever this same Jesus. Try to imagine it: twelve years a sufferer, and now a well woman! O how he just loved to do it for her. He knew all about it, he saw it all and felt it all, and now he would do more than she had dreamed of. "He would speak to her personally a word of comfort. His disciples were amazed that he should ask, 'Who touched my clothes?' for as Peter and the others said: 'Master, the multitude throng thee and press thee' (vs. 31; Luke 8:45). But there is a great difference between touching or hearing him as the crowd does, or touching or hearing him for a definite blessing or message to one's own self. As he looked round about, to see the one who had touched him, not that he needed to look, for he knew, but for her sake; she fearing and trembling, fell down before him and told him all the truth (vs. 32, 33). Now hear him speak, and how a comfort, thy faith hath made thee whole; go in peace" (vs. 34; Luke 8:48). How exceedingly abundantly above all she could ask or think! Could there be a happier woman? Could she ever forget that face of loving compassion, or those words? Now we will follow him to the home of Jairus; but before we reach it messengers come saying to Jairus, "Thy daughter is dead. Why troublest thou the master any further?" But before the broken-hearted father had time to regret the delay on the road, as soon as Jesus had heard, he said to the ruler, "Be not afraid, only believe" (vs. 35, 36). How those five words have comforted me time and again these many years I never can tell. He has spoken them to my heart so often. Among the precious "Fear not" such as Gen. 15:1; Isa. 41:10, 13; Joel 2:21; and many others have been a great comfort, but none more so than Mark 5:36.

Walking by sight and not knowing the power of God, the house was filled with tumult and weeping and wailing, and scorn of him who said, "Why make ye this ado, and weep? He put them all out, and with just seven present, all told, himself, the father and mother, Peter, James and John and the little girl, his words gave life and health, the dear child enjoyed some food, and once more there is a happy home. Life and peace and joy through him wherever he goes.

We are now prepared to smoke meat and farmers having their meat ready should bring it in.  
**G. C. WEIMER.**  
**CASTORIA**  
For Infants and Children.  
The Kind You Have Always Bought  
Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

**W. S. STAMP CANVASS TO COVER THE STATE**  
"Blue Post Card" Solicitors Will Visit Every Home.

Columbus, O.—(Special).—Solicitors for United States War Savings and Thrift Stamps will canvass every house in every section of the state under operation of plan being worked out by local War Savings organizations through the state committee. These solicitors will be enrolled locally from volunteers among school children, mail carriers, boy scouts, insurance agents, women's organizations, labor unions, churches and all War Savings societies.

Use is being made of the government's "Blue Post Card" in conducting the house-to-house canvass. It is, in effect, a collect on delivery plan. These cards bear, on one side, an order on postmasters to have letter carriers deliver to the subscriber, on any specified date, whatever amount of War Savings or Thrift Stamps may be desired. Delivery and collection will be made by the mail carriers. Those who are so collected are understood to pay nothing to the solicitors, but to have the money ready to deliver to the postman when the stamps are presented. After the "Blue Post Card" order has been executed, the order card will be turned over to the county chairman by the postmaster, thus furnishing an accurate record of the sales made in a given community in this manner.

Volunteer your dollars, let them be drafted by the kaiser. Buy War Savings Stamps.  
**DAILY W. S. STAMP QUOTA \$290,400**  
If Ohio is to "Go Over," Distribution Must Equal \$5.53 Per Second.  
Columbus, O.—(Special).—Ohioans must buy United States War Savings and Thrift Stamps at the rate of approximately \$5.53 per second, during all of 1918, if the \$100,000,000 quota for the state is to be raised. Daily sales must equal \$290,400 or the state will fall short of its allotment.

With a per capita quota of \$20, it is obvious that every man, woman and child in the state must do something particular effort to insure the success of the government's campaign in Ohio, the Ohio War Savings committee explains. Some individuals will be forced to buy more than his proportion of stamps to meet the deficit occasioned when his neighbor fails to respond to the nation's request. Reduced to hourly terms War Savings and Thrift Stamps worth \$12,104 must be sold each 60 minutes of 1918; every cent of the minute hand on your watch must see sales amounting to \$202.

Leads in W. S. Agencies.  
Lima, O.—(Special).—With one authorized sales agency to every 72 of population, Allen county holds the state record for number of agencies accepting responsibility for distribution of War Savings and Thrift Stamps. The treasury department has authorized every 72 of population to be established for every 300 of population.

**W.S.S.**  
**SAVE and SERVE BUY WAR SAVINGS STAMPS**  
**PILES FISTULA**  
AND ALL DISEASES OF THE RECTUM  
No matter how long the patient has suffered from this disease, or how bad the condition is, no pain and no operation from our new method. Write for book on PILES, FISTULA, and all diseases of the rectum, and the name of the doctor who has cured you.  
**DR. J. J. McCLELLAN**  
Columbus, O.



**ANNOUNCEMENT**  
**Millinery Opening**  
Thursday, Friday and Saturday, March 7th, 8th and 9th.  
**Distinctive Spring Millinery**  
Your Inspection Invited  
**Osterly Millinery**  
37 Green St., Xenia, O.

**Adair's**  
The Leading Home Furnisher For Over 30 Years.  
**Are You Going to Furnish a Home This Spring**  
**\$14.95** 110 Inch Top Table Beautifully Finished  
You should see the new designs in Bed Room and Dining Room Suits we have on display this week. Nothing to compare with them in this section at the prices marked. The showing is the largest ever displayed here. It offers the advantage of a wide choice in selecting suitable home outfits.

**Colonial Bed Room Suit \$99.00**  
A very Massive Colonial design in beautiful quartered oak. Dresser 48 in. top, mirror \$38.00 \$20.00  
Chiffonier 38 in. top mirror \$35.00 \$20.00  
Bed, Regular size \$28.00

**54 Inch Dining Table \$22.50**  
Made of Quartered Oak fumed finish, heavy plank top and large pedestal.  
**VICTROLAS SONORA PHONOGRAPHS VICTOR RECORDS**  
**50 Lb. Cotton Mattress \$10.50**  
15 foot long, 35 inch wide, and five pound heavier than the regular cotton mattress. A \$18.00 value.  
**Adair's**  
20-24 North Detroit St. Xenia, O.  
Furniture, Carpets, Stoves, Victrolas





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W. P. Townsley has been appointed guardian of Edward Kennedy by Probate Court.

Mr. Hayes Bates has rented the house property vacated by Stewart Townsley. Oscar Nagley takes the Smith property on the same street vacated by James Barlow, who has rented the D. N. Tarbox place, now owned by Mrs. W. P. Townsley.

Miss Mabel McDonald, of Celina, spent Sabbath with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Radabaugh.

A number of Greene county boys have left for the spruce forests in Canada where timber is being cut for the government to be used in the construction of airplanes.

**WALL PAPER** big line to pick from  
**R. Bird & Sons Co.**

Here is what you want. The "Standard" brooder. Burns coal and is self feeding, self regulating and lasts forever. It is the most practical device ever invented. Money back if you are not satisfied. What more can we offer.  
**R. M. McKee.**

Cameron Ross, Paul Turnbull, Oscar Bailey and Frank Shroeder, of Camp Sherman, were home over Sabbath. The quarantine that has been over the camp for several weeks was lifted last Saturday and this enabled the boys to get home for the day.

Dr. John Arthur of Dayton spent Sabbath with home folks.

Mr. John Ervin, formerly of this place, but for several years located in Jamestown as a member of the firm of George & Ervin Bros., had a narrow escape from death last Friday when he was caught between a belt and pulley in the elevator. His son, Ralph, was near at the time and witnessed the accident, having presence of mind to shut down the engine. It is thought that the body being wedged caused the belt to slip otherwise he would have been whirled around and crushed to death. How he escaped without internal injuries is a mystery.

Galloway & Cherry of Xenia are laying new carpet in the halls and stairs of the opera house. New cork linoleum is placed at the front entrance to eliminate noise. A new stage carpet has been put in place. The house with these improvements presents a very attractive appearance.

Miss Mary Denuehy, daughter of Daniel Denuehy, who has been a patient at the Dayton State hospital for several years, died Monday. The funeral was held Wednesday from St. Bridget's church, Xenia. Besides the father and stepmother, the following brothers and sisters survive. Mrs. Kate Sassen and John Denuehy, of Springfield, Lee and William, at home; Lawrence, of Camp Sherman; Mrs. J. J. Kehler and Mrs. Richard Diffendall.

Mrs. Robert Ford suffered a paralytic stroke Tuesday evening and is in a very serious condition.

Sallie Baker, colored, caused the arrest of Edward Kennedy for a board bill amounting to \$20. The case was heard before Justice Jackson Wednesday and the defendant dismissed. W. P. Townsley is guardian for Kennedy. Attorney Armstrong represented Mrs. Baker while Frank Johnson represented Townsley and Kennedy. It is said a civil suit will be brought for the board bill.

I have the agency for the X-Ray incubator and would be pleased to have prospective buyers consider it. Best of local recommendations.  
**JOHN W. MOORE:**

**FLOOR COVERINGS**  
—Congoleum and Linoleums,  
Rugs and Carpets.  
**R. Bird & Sons Co.**

Mr. G. H. Smith reports the sale of what was formerly known as the Arthur farm along Massies creek owned by Robt. Bryson to Ralph Murdock. The sale was consummated Wednesday, there being 103 acres in the place.

Mr. John Marshall and son, Wm., have rented thirty acres of new ground from J. C. Townsley for a watermelon and truck patch.

**ROOSEVELT FOR PROHIBITION**

Says Not a Bushel of Grain Should Be Used For the Making of Liquor.

New York. — Colonel Theodore Roosevelt is out in a letter declaring for war prohibition. In his letter sent to Dr. Charles True Wilson, Secretary of the Methodist Episcopal Temperance Society, and made public by Dr. Wilson, Colonel Roosevelt says in part:

"When we must feed our army and help the armies of our allies, not a bushel of grain should be permitted to be made into intoxicating liquor. Neither men in the army or the men engaged in doing vital work for the armies in connection with railroads, factories, mines and ship yards should be allowed to waste strength and health in drink at this time. The same reasons that render it necessary to prohibit the sale of liquor to soldiers in uniform or within a given number of miles from a military camp, and to stop its use on battle ships, apply to extend similar protection for our citizens engaged in the work of railroads, factories, mines and shipyards. I wish you every success in the effort to stop all waste of food, men, labor and brain power during these days when the nation needs every energy of every man at his best."

Now that Colonel Roosevelt is lining up with Colonel Bryan in favor of prohibition, the anti-liquor forces are greatly encouraged and the liquor interests correspondingly depressed.

Keep the home fires burning but don't cook too much on them. All America is engaged in the patriotic duty of assisting the Government in the conservation of food.

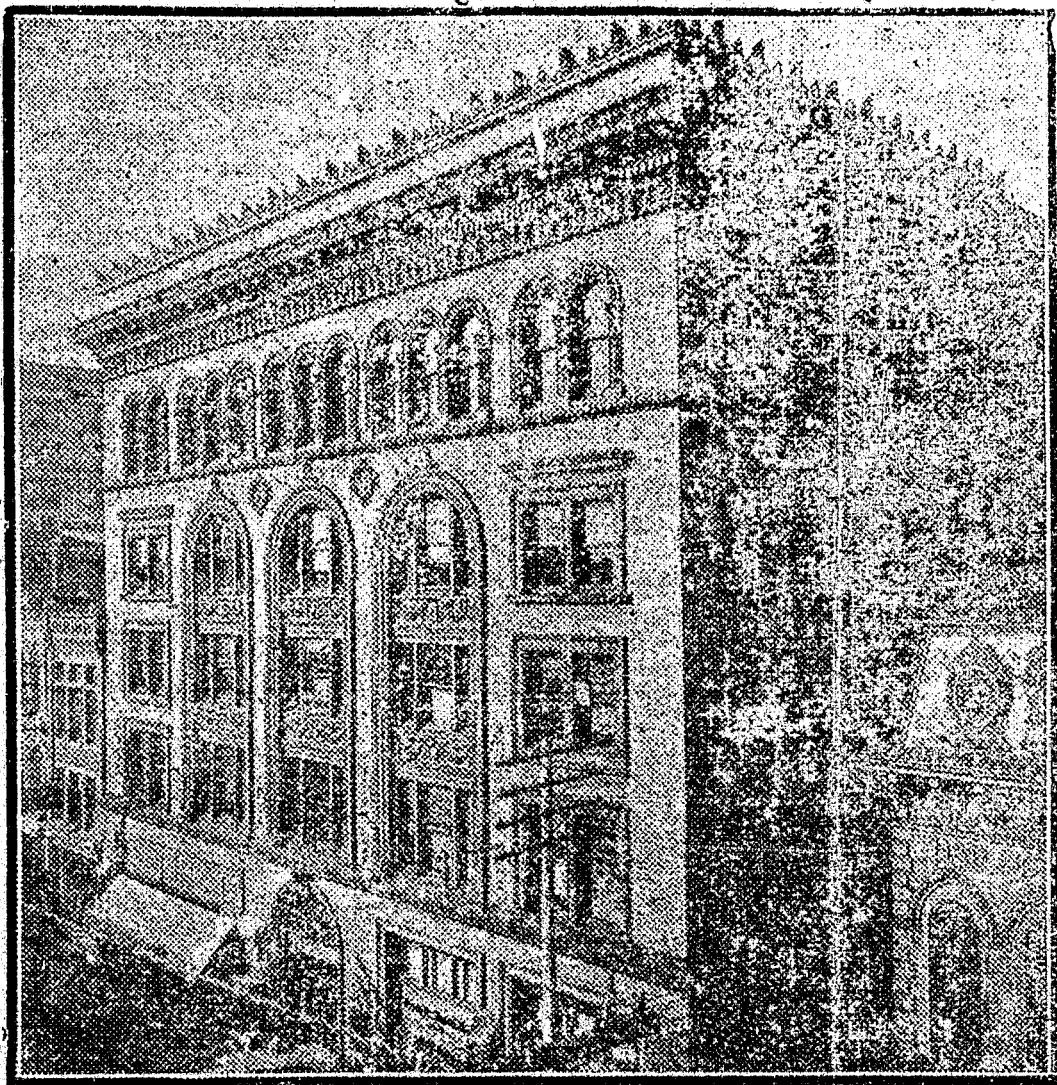
**The Home Store**  
The Fastest Growing Store in Ohio

The best way to save 25c is to spend it for a Thrift Stamp.

## IN THE SERVICE OF THE GENERAL PUBLIC

We have arranged to place on sale from day to day throughout the entire month of March, a large number of special lots of merchandise that will be a great help to our customers in these days of advancing costs of living. These goods have all been drawn from our regular stocks or secured by special purchases and the prices have been fixed by carefully considering action of our Merchandise Board. They will be advertised to our customers under the head of

### War-Time Service Specials



The Home of the Home Store

Included in the War Time Specials from day to day will be Coats, Suits, Skirts, Blouses, Undermuslins, Corsets, all of which are the newest Spring and Summer models; then Silks, Dress Materials in Woolens and Cottons, Linens, Hosiery, Gloves, Men's Furnishings, Curtains, Draperies, Rugs, Linoleums, Millinery etc. We sincerely urge liberal purchasing so as to escape advances that are occurring almost daily. Buy now not only for present but for future needs too—you can't make a mistake.

Freight and Express paid on purchases of \$5 or over.

Round trip fares refunded on purchases of \$15 or over.

**The Fahien Tehan Co**

SPRINGFIELD, OHIO.

Hundreds of our out-of-town friends buy by mail taking advantage of our Free Personal Mail Order Shopping Service.

#### RESOLUTIONS OF CEDARVILLE SESSION.

The Session of the Cedarville Reformed Presbyterian Congregation this 24th day of February, 1918, adopted the following resolutions, and ordered that they be spread on the minutes of the Session, and a copy sent to the bereaved family:

Forasmuch as it hath pleased Almighty God, in His wise providence, to take out of this world the soul of our deceased pastor, Dr. J. L. Chesnut, we humbly submit to His loving will, and record our gratitude to God that he gave us the ministrations of our beloved and gifted pastor, whose life, work, and example among us have wrought a righteous and imperishable influence.

We miss his counsel and cheer and uplift in our lives, our homes, our congregation, our Sabbath School, our pulpit, and our community; and we pray God that He will give us grace to follow our pastor as he followed Christ.

To the bereaved family we extend our heart-felt sympathy and Christian affection, praying God to console and comfort them by the riches of His grace in Christ, and assuring them of our abiding interest in their temporal and spiritual welfare.

With sincere Christian sympathy  
The Session of the Cedarville R. P. Congregation.

**DR. A. C. McCORMICK,**

DENTIST

No. 10 Allen Bldg. XENIA, O.

The death of Dr. J. L. Chesnut is a serious blow to the Reformed Presbyterian denomination. He was distinctively and emphatically a Covenantor. He made the name of Covenantant stand for something. In the midst of changing creeds and of realigning of positions in the religious world, he stood firm for the principles that have been proved valuable by the test of time.

He was an ideal pastor. Every member of his congregation knew that his pastor was genuinely interested in him. He was without guile, but every member knew that he would tolerate no evil.

He was prominent in every enterprise that was fostered by General Synod. A Committee or a Board was not complete without him. As stated Clerk he lent the business moving, and every document was, on hand at the right time.

He has left us his example. There is a great work to be done, and for each of us that work will end only with life. Dr. Chesnut showed us what a man could do if he tried. We should follow Christ as he followed Him.

—H. P. ADVOCATE.

**Give Children Toys That Teach.**  
Toys which develop the imagination are better than intricate mechanical toys and elaborately dressed dolls. Next to a ball, the very best plaything is a set of blocks, which is capable of being transformed into anything desired, from a train of cars to a pigeon house. Give a boy of five a hammer, some nails and a few pieces of wood and see what he can make—the results are often surprising. Children love to create, and the toy which they have made themselves will give a more lasting pleasure than the usual elaborate plaything bought ready-made.

**The Proof.**  
Jack—"So I dives under the submarine with my little blow-dry and bores an 'ole in' sinks the blighter, an' ere's the blow-dry to prove it!"—Sketch.

#### Drunkenness and Insanity.

London. — (Special).—Insanity decreases as drunkenness decreases. This is true in the United States and it is also true in other countries. Official figures show that England is becoming more sane as she becomes more sober. In 1916 convictions for drunkenness were the lowest recorded for nearly 50 years. Last year these convictions totaled 84,191 against 135,928 in 1915.

#### Value of Prohibition.

Washington, D. C.—Official recognition of the economic value of Prohibition is contained in a letter sent out from the office of the Controller of Currency, in which statement is made that "with the higher wages paid to workmen and with the larger return to capital, the savings of the people, despite the high cost of living, have increased enormously. The growth of Prohibition has stimulated thrift and helped materially increase savings deposits."

#### Labor Organ Boosts Prohibition.

Denver, Colorado.—The Denver Labor Bulletin, the official organ of organized labor in this city and in Colorado, is an enthusiastic booster for Prohibition, local, state and national. In a recent issue it declares that, "Any member of organized labor who knows the vast improvement among Colorado wage-earners and their families when the saloon was forced to quit, ought to support state and national Prohibition."

#### Advantages of Egotism.

It is to be said in favor of self-appreciation that people may not take you at your estimate of yourself, but they will be sure to accept any underestimation that you may make.

#### Mouth Illuminator.

For the use of physicians and dentists, a tongue depressing instrument has been invented that switches on an electric light to illuminate a patient's mouth when it is used.—Houston Post.

#### NOTICE TO

### HORSE BREEDERS

#### COLESHILL DIAMOND KING

Coleshill Diamond King is an imported Shire, bay, weight 2100. He has proven himself a sire of draft colts that will mature into ton horses. His colts have sold higher than any other horse that has ever stood in the county. One pair of yearlings sold last fall for \$352.50 and his suckling colts have sold as high as \$125.00. A sure breeder and good disposition. Will make the season at \$20.

#### PRINCE ALBERT

Prince Albert is an imported Belgium; sorrel weight 2000 another one of the greatest sires that ever stood in the county. You need not tell anyone about Prince Albert, everyone knows him and his colts. Will make the season at \$15.00.

#### EPI

Epi is an imported Belgium, a horse that is known to hundreds of breeders in this section for his fancy colts. He is a sure foal getter and his colts are always in demand. You can make no mistake in using this horse.

Will make the season at \$15.

These horses will make the season of 1918 at my barn 1-2 mile south of Cedarville on Wilmington pike. All colts insured for thirty days. If, at sound and all right at that time don't settle till they are right. These horses will be in the care of a competent and careful groom, and everyone will be treated right. Care will be taken to prevent accidents but will not be responsible should any occur.

**HARRY TOWNSLEY**

OSCAR LEE in Charge.

TRY OUR JOB PRINTING



## Personals.

Andrew Kinsman and daughter, Emma, were shopping in Springfield last Saturday.

Mrs. Sarah Shoup and son, Frank, were in Fairfield last Sunday where her brother is situated at a hospital, having had both of his limbs cut off by a trolley car at Fairfield a few days ago.

Malcolm Elder spent the weekend visiting relatives in Indianapolis, Indiana.

Mrs. C. E. Edmonson called on Mrs. Sarah Shoup last Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Howard Wildman and children called on Claude Edmonson and family a while last Sunday afternoon.

Mary Townsend of near Cedarville, spent last Sunday with Louise Negus, Willard Chapman, of Springfield, and Oliver Little, of near Clifton, spent last Sunday with Clarence Chapman and family of near here.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Thompson and family entertained the following at dinner last Sunday: Earl Vincent, Raymond Baker, Fred Wilson, Lottie Thompson, Elton Tindall, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Barber, Grace, Floe, Gerald, Roy and Harland Thompson.

Mrs. Henry Confer and grandson, Russell, called on Howard Wildman and family, last Saturday.

Robert Elder was in Columbus Sunday and states that Mrs. Elder, who is at Grant hospital, is doing nicely and hopes to return home soon.

Edward Holloway and Ralph Hewitt spent last Saturday in Springfield.

Howard Titus was in Selma last Saturday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Finney and son, George, spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Beatty and family of near Old Town.

Lectures.

Large numbers of people gathered at the school auditorium last Saturday night, when Dr. Purdy, of Bankham College, Richmond, Indiana, gave a lecture on "Observations in Europe at the outbreak of the war."

Dr. Purdy was one of the hundreds of Americans who were caught in Germany at the outbreak of the war, and related his interesting adventures in Europe, got out of the war zone and made his way back to his own country, America.

On Sunday morning at 10:00 o'clock, he delivered a fine sermon at the Friends church.

We are very fortunate in getting J. Henry Scattergood, who is head of the Friends Reconstruction work in this country, to stop over and talk to the people of Selma. Mr. Scattergood will give an illustrated lecture on the Reconstruction work in this country and abroad, at the school auditorium, Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

There is no admission and if the weather is favorable, large numbers are expected to turn out.

High School Notes.

The play "Everystudent," given by the high school, at the school auditorium, last Friday afternoon, was a success and was well attended. The play had a strong moral and those who liked good plays were delighted with it. Russell Dines played the leading part, and by his fine acting exposed to the audience the temptations, joys, likes and dislikes of an average student when entering college or high school. The second rhetoricals are now over and the pupils are anxiously awaiting their grades.

Errett Kinsman, Sophomore, was in Cedarville last Friday night and states that he witnessed two of the best basket ball games he has ever seen on the high school floor, this season.

The school has planned to have a grand exhibit at the building sometime in the near future. A few of the many things that will be exhibited are: collections made by the science, biology, and Latin classes, boys' and girls' handiwork and the sewing and cooking of the domestic science classes.

The editorial staff of the high school "Planet" are working to produce a special edition of the paper for that day. No less than half a dozen school photographers are getting pictures for it and it is expected that it will contain a fine collection of photographs and cartoons made by school talent, besides the school news of the past year.

Mildred Negus, junior, seems to be worrying about the senior banquet as she is the lone junior.

The high school pupils have not been required to take any examinations this year, but are required to appear in a series of rhetoricals, from which the grades are taken. They are graded on their effort toward getting it, the way it is delivered, the merit of the production itself and several other minor details.

Word has been received from Wilbur Neff, a former freshman of here, saying that he was well satisfied with his new home at Alpha.

The biology class has started its "War Garden" in the laboratory and states that it hopes to raise enough from it to serve the entire high school a good square meal.

George Finney, senior, has been ill the past week, but has returned to school. Finney was recently elected captain of the base ball team and claims that he has a promising nine, for the coming season.

When school opened at the first of the year the school had no music teacher, but after a few weeks secured Miss Margaret Jackson, of South Charleston, who has proven herself a music teacher of rare ability.

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## BETTER HAVE YOUR TAGS WHEN IN SPRINGFIELD OR IN DAYTON

We notice by the Springfield and Dayton papers that all autoists are given warning to have the 1918 tags on when in either of the above cities. Those who are in the habit of not getting the auto tags until the middle of the summer had better be shy of these two cities.

## MORE BABIES THAN SOLDIERS

According to statistics more babies per hundred die before they are a year old than do soldiers on the battle field during engagement. The loss of babies each year is 14 out of every hundred while only two soldiers out of every hundred are killed in action.

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## DAM BUILDING NOW UNDER WAY IN MIAMI DISTRICT

Those who have held to the opinion that legislation or the courts would kill the Miami conservancy plan, wherein dams were to be placed across the Mad river, Miami and Stillwater rivers, to protect Dayton, evidently are going to be disappointed. Bonds have been sold and already machinery is being unloaded for the completion of this work. Osborn is soon to be a town of the past. Work has already begun on the Mad river dam just west of the Wright aviation field. It will be five-eighths of a mile wide and 62 feet high and built of concrete.

Fresh bread at Nagley's.

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## PREPARE FOR YOUR GARDEN

Every property owner should have a garden this year. Most every available lot last year was put to good use. Gardens are the best investment you can have. It is best to raise fresh vegetables and it is cheapest. If you have not time you will find it profitable to hire the work done. Then you will enjoy the result of your own labor if you do the work yourself. Prices will be high next winter for food stuffs so don't be frightened when the laborer wants a few dollars for doing something you probably do not care to do yourself.

Among other good coffee we have a fresh shipment of Red Bird at Nagley's.

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## CRITICAL SITUATION OF PUBLIC UTILITIES

They May Suffer Collapse as Railroads Already Have, Greatly to the Disadvantage of the Public.

Columbus, March 4.—The appeals to State Public Utilities Commissions for increase in rates by the public service corporations show them to be in imminent danger of paralysis such as the railroads now are suffering.

The difficulty in the case of each utility is from the same cause—a selling price for service fixed at a time before the war had increased all costs by half and doubled many of them.

The gas, telephone, power and traction companies are showing by their books the increased cost of operating and of maintenance, to an extent which has put many of them on the red side of the ledger.

With nearly all of them the greatest cost item is coal.

Previous to the outbreak of the European war coal cost \$1.90 a ton delivered. The average cost now is \$3.43 and the freight charge is paid by the purchaser. And, too, when the price was \$1.90, screened coal was delivered. Now it is "run-of-mine" with slate, stone, earth, dust and all. This difference in quality makes a heat unit cost double what it cost when the price to consumers was fixed.

Electrical power for light and heat and traction, and telephones is distributed through copper wire. Previous to three years ago, the price of copper for this use ranged between 12 and 15 cents. It now is 25 cents, and recently a Columbus company was forced to buy \$24,000 worth at 33 cents.

The world can't work, or live, without the public utilities. Their existence is menaced by doubled costs. Like any other business, they have to sell to sell services. To take other business enterprises, the selling price must be based upon the cost of production. The manufacturer and merchant pass the increased cost of production on to the consumer. Unless the utility can do the same it must go out of business.

What should be done about it?

No satisfying answer to this question has yet been uttered.

Companies have agreements with the public for a price for service, fixed for a term of years, or their rates have been fixed by municipal ordinances, based on pre-war cost of production.

City officials say "a contract is a contract." They insist that a contract which will wreck a service company will bring a public calamity.

In many instances the service companies, at the present rates, can earn no margin for extensions, or repairs, for all income must go into cost of operation and maintenance. Some other business enterprises, a concern doing unprofitable business can't borrow money to tide it over.

The quality of service will deteriorate, necessarily, and then we'll all kick about it.

Utility companies have certainly fallen upon evil days, and are wrestling with problems of which their patrons are wholly unaware. The market price of utility securities has steadily declined during the last two or three years, and many of them have no market value at all.

It is not alone those whose money is in these properties who are interested. If they fall and the public is deprived of their services, it will be the greater sufferer; for there will be no inducement for others to take the hazard of attempting to furnish the service. These problems require some sane thinking on the part of both producer and consumer.

**THE PUFFED AND PURPLED "PLUTE"**

Of course there was a time, every soap box orator told us about it, when the public utility manager or stockholder was looked upon as a puffed and purpled plutocrat. He rode in his limousine and drank his champagne out of quart tankards. He was all encrusted with diamonds and his wife was trying to "reduce." But "them was the halcyon days of the old regime," as a Cincinnati statesman once remarked.

Now, if you see a wan, shrinking, shivering little man edging along the dark wall of the alley and shuddering at each shriek sound—that's a public utility man.

It isn't exactly fair to advance the dictum that all haggard, wan, pale, shrinking, nervous men are of the public utility brotherhood, but it is a safe assertion that all and several of the public utility owners, managers and high officials are wan and haggard in these days of stress.

Of course, in those good old days it was a perfectly proper proceeding to cuss the gas man, damn the telephone service and enjoy a paroxysm of rage when the inter-urban car was late. No more.

It really isn't done.

The manufacturer of pink pills, or beaded raiment, may complain if he will, of the war stringency and its withering effect upon his business, but he can't do the prices of pink pills and make it harmonize with the cost of tenderloin steak. Cannot the gas man advance the price of gas to keep step with bacon and eggs? Yes, he cannot.

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## March Sale of Carpets, Rugs and Linoleums

## Carpets

The Month of March offers you a wonderful opportunity for economical savings—the saving of the cost of making and laying, besides having the largest stock in Central Ohio to select from. Every carpet selected during March will be Made and Laid FREE OF CHARGE. If you are not ready for your carpet now, come and make your selection, we will hold it for you and lay whenever you are ready—Free of Charge.

## COTTON CHAIN INGRAIN

All wool filling, cotton chain ingrain carpet. Good line of patterns and of good quality. Priced during this month, making and laying free.

55c Per Yard

## EXTRA SUPER INGRAIN

Extra grade of all wool filling, cotton chain ingrain carpet. This is an extra special quality, made and laid free if selected this month at.

\$1.00 Per Yard

## BRUSSELS CARPET

An exceptional fine assortment of patterns to select from. Brussels carpets with borders to match. If selected this month made and laid free.

From \$1.10 to \$1.50 Per Yard

## AXMINSTER AND WILTON CARPETS

All with borders to match. A fine assortment of Floral and Oriental patterns to select from and if selected this month will be made and laid FREE.

\$1.75 to \$3.50 a Yard

## Rugs and Linoleums

We do not believe that there is as large, well selected, economically priced assortment of Rugs and Linoleums to be found in the state of Ohio. This season we are most fortunate in having made some exceptional buys in these lines. We are giving our customers the advantage of our experience and buying power. The following items are just a few from our immense stock. Compare the prices.

## BRUSSELS RUGS

9x12 feet, all wool faced Tapestry Brussels rugs. Made in one piece without a seam. Choice of floral and oriental patterns. An extra good quality specially priced during this month.

\$19.50

## WILTON RUGS

Size 9x12 feet and of a quality that we sell regularly at \$30.00 but is exceptionally good for that price. They are extra quality and a choice lot of patterns during this month specially priced at

\$25.00

## WILTON RUGS

Extra large sizes, 10-6x13. Made all in one piece. They are extra quality and a choice lot of patterns during this month specially priced at

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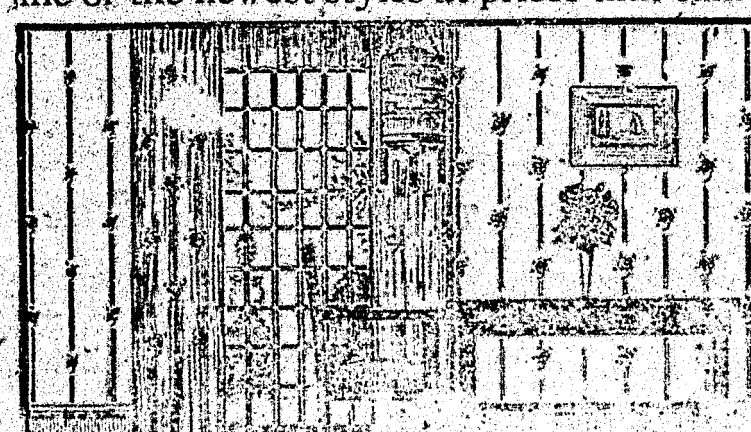
## LINOLEUM

During this month we will sell you the very best CORK BODY LINOLEUM in a wide range of patterns to choose from at the extra special price of

85c Per Sq. Yard

## The Annual March Sale of Wall Paper

The 1918 wall papers are handsomer than ever. For the March sale a most complete line of the newest styles at prices that cannot be duplicated elsewhere. The few following items are typical of the values:



Tapestry papers in soft tans and grays, for living rooms; novelty stripes and blended patterns; worth to 28c, roll ..... 24c

Bedroom stripes and florals, in great variety, 11c grades, special at the roll ..... 7c

Gold Store and dining room papers, modern and dark colors, worth 15c, roll ..... 9c

Two-tone papers in blue, gray or tan, 13c perfect, excellent machines roll ..... 17c

30-inch blends and grass effects, for the high class apartment, 50c values at, roll ..... 34c

Papers suitable for rooms or halls—only 12 rolls to a customer—roll ..... 3c

Plain 30-inch oatmeal wall papers, brown, blue, gray or green—only 12 rolls to a customer. Extra special, roll ..... 8c

Oatmeal two-tones for parlors or dining rooms, worth double our price, for the March sale at, roll ..... 12 1/2c

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